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Application of: Stavenhagen et al. Confirmation No.: 8663
Application No.: 10/754,922 Art Unit: 1643
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For: Identification and Engineering of Antibodies with Variant Fc Regions and Methods of Using Same Attorney Docket No.: 11183-004-999

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

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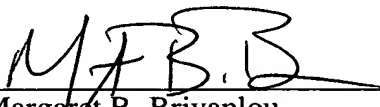
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2006, be extended for a period of one (1) month from March 19, 2006 up to and including April 19, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$60.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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